



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

WHEREAS, Idaho's "Teacher of the Year" recognition program honors the state's exemplary classroom teachers and the critical role they play in preparing Idaho's children for the future; and

WHEREAS, both the State of Idaho and the nation have placed a high priority on preparing students to be creative problem-solvers and collaborative workers; and

WHEREAS, Patti Perry exemplifies excellence in reaching those goals and a fostering of love and learning; and

WHEREAS, Patti Perry has focused her teaching around ensuring that every student can succeed; and

WHEREAS, Patti Perry has actively sought to bring education to all students; and

WHEREAS; Patti Perry has fostered the principles of civic duty and community service, by establishing teacher mentoring programs and collaborating with the Literacy Team to reach at-risk students in Language Art;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim February 24, 2003, to be

PATTI PERRY DAY

in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord two-thousand and three and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-seventh and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred thirteenth.

A handwritten signature of Dirk Kempthorne in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature of Ben Isukua in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

BEN ISUKUA
SECRETARY OF STATE